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Archibald Mayo has left Pynchard school to go to work.

Miss Alice Gray of Washington avenue spent Sunday in Boston.

Miss Quinn of Lowell spent the week-end with Mrs. Guy Bickell of High street.

Master Leonard Leach of Lawrence spent a few days visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Richard Major of Central street was called to Brooklyn, N. Y., last Friday on account of death in her family.

Thursday, May 16, will be Ascension Day, and Holy Communion will be celebrated at Christ church at 9:30 o'clock a.m.

A large number of local young people attended the reception given by Prof. LaBonte in Lawrence on Monday evening.

Lincoln lodge, A. O. U. W., held a very pleasant and well attended dancing party in A. O. U. W. hall last Friday evening.

The Courteous circle of King's Daughters held a devotional service on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. J. W. Barnard.

Miss Margaret Sullivan, who has been spending the winter in Pinehurst, N. C., has returned to her home on Red Spring road.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arthur Job of Birkenhead, England, have been visiting Mrs. Job's brother, J. H. Melledge of Bartlett street.

An enjoyable dance was held at the Guild House on Saturday evening. There was a good attendance. Music was furnished by the Columbian orchestra.

The many friends of Mrs. Phelps of Morton street will be pleased to hear that she is expected home soon from California where she has been for the past year.

The 12:10 o'clock Haverhill-Andover electric car jumped the track near Sutton's Corner, North Andover, on Sunday, causing a tie-up in the service for some time.

Miss Margaret W. Vannett and Albert Cole of this town were united in marriage on Saturday evening at the home of the bride, North Main street, by Rev. Frederic Palmer.

James Ryley, who has been manager of the Essex street bowling alleys for some time, has left his position there and entered the employ of the Tye Rubber Company as receiving clerk.

On the Sunday night before Memorial Day a memorial service will be held in the South church. There will be special music, and Civil War pictures will be shown with the stereopticon.

Mrs. Nancy M. Tyler quietly observed her ninety-second birthday on Wednesday at her home on Whittier street. She was the recipient of flowers and other remembrances sent her by her friends.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign and Home Missionary societies of the Seminary church will be held at the home of Mrs. M. W. Stackpole on Tuesday afternoon, May 14, at three o'clock.

At half past six this morning two half grown deer were seen feeding on the lawn in front of F. H. Foster's house on Central street. After remaining there for a short time, they went off in the direction of the woods.

William O'Connell branch, A. O. H., will hold its first annual dance in the town hall this evening. The drawing for a gold watch for which a large number of tickets have been sold, will be a feature of the evening.

Delegates from Andover attended the meeting of the Andover and Woburn branch held at the Congregational church in Billerica on Thursday. There were two sessions at which several addresses of interest were made.

Mrs. George C. Hitt of Indianapolis, sister of Mrs. W. H. Higgins of this town, has been elected president of the Woman's Department club, a new organization which has just been formed in Indianapolis, and which has a membership of 485 women.

An entertainment will be given in Pynchard hall this evening for the benefit of the baseball team. It will be in charge of the Athletic Association. The program will consist of a three-act comedy entitled "Box and Cox" and vocal and instrumental music. Dancing will follow the play.

The annual meeting of the November club was held on Monday afternoon. At the business session officers were elected for the year as follows: President, Mrs. Frank Carlton; first vice-president, Mrs. Percival Dove; second vice-president, Miss Ellen C. Snow; treasurer, Mrs. John L. Phillips; secretary, Mrs. Robert Keep; new directors, Mrs. James C. Sawyer and Mrs. J. Tyler Kimball.

Next November the Woman's Board of Missions will hold its annual meeting in this town. It is hoped that about three hundred lady delegates and missionaries will be entertained, as hospitable people of all the denominations, not only in Andover, but North Andover, Lawrence, Methuen, Ballardvale, Reading and Wakefield are planning to open their houses to people from a distance, for the nights of November 11 to 14. The noon meals will be served by caterers in the vestries. Never before has a small branch had this honor, as the Board usually meets in large cities.

Miss Edith Valpey has been visiting in Marblehead.

The Echo club of the Baptist church met on Monday evening.

B. Frank Upton of Lynn has been visiting friends in town this week.

Mrs. Alexander Grant and son have returned from a visit to the Cape.

A regular meeting of Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge was held on Monday evening.

Silas H. Brown of Westbury, R. I., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Chester D. Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Somers have opened their summer residence on Salem street.

Mrs. Byron F. Gustin of Amherst is visiting her mother, Mrs. Francis Holt of Bartlett street.

Miss Laura Sykes and Miss Katie Lowther of 154 Main street have gone to England for a visit.

Mrs. James J. Abbott has returned from a three weeks' visit in New York City and Westfield, N. J.

Andover lodge, I. O. O. F., worked the second degree on candidates from Methuen on Wednesday evening.

"Mothers' Day" will be observed by special exercises in the South church Sunday school next Sunday.

Charles G. Willard will address Castle Winchester, K. O. K. A., at the Free church next Thursday evening.

Mrs. Herbert Hill is soon to move from the Saunders house on Highland road to the Cannon house on Salem street.

Mrs. Emily Morse, who has been staying at Mrs. McQuinn's on Main street, is to move into the Foster farmhouse next week.

Mrs. G. C. Cannon entertained her friends at whist last Saturday evening, the occasion being much enjoyed by all present.

The Royals will play a league game tomorrow afternoon on the playstead when they will meet the Shamrocks of Lawrence.

Castle Winchester, Free church K. O. K. A., were delightfully entertained by Henry A. Bodwell at his new house on Morton street, last Friday evening.

Gen. Wm. F. Bartlett Corps, W. R. C., wish to thank the public for its hearty cooperation shown by its contributions and generous patronage which made the May Breakfast a success.

John Ramsay of Ridge street was arrested this week by Officer Napier, charged with drunkenness and disturbance. On Tuesday morning he was fined five dollars.

Weather permitting, the Natural History society will hold a bird meeting on Saturday morning, May 11, at five o'clock, in the vicinity of Carmel Woods. At that time plans will be perfected for an afternoon meeting and basket lunch to be held next week.

The regular monthly meeting of the school committee was held on Tuesday evening. It was decided to hold an exhibit of finished work and work in progress in both manual training and domestic science, on Friday afternoon, May 24, in Pynchard hall.

The regular meeting of the Royal Arcanum will be held this evening at 7:30 instead of 8 o'clock, in order to allow the members an opportunity to visit Lawrence Council, No. 17, where the degree staff of Highland Council of Lowell will initiate several candidates.

The Woman's Union of the South church will meet Thursday, May 16, at 3:30 p.m., in the church vestry. Mrs. Hincks will talk on the annual meeting of the Woman's Board which is to be held in Andover next fall. Delegates from the semi-annual meeting of the Andover and Woburn branch, held at Billerica, will report on that meeting.

## Pageant Tickets Go on Sale

At the Bookstore Wednesday, May 15, at 9 a.m. All seats are reserved, and early selection will alone assure the best seats. The pageant will be given Tuesday, May 21.

Next Monday, May 13, will be the regular town pay day.

James W. Daly has purchased a new horse for use in his business.

J. Allie Burr is confined to his home by injuries, the result of a fall.

E. Clark Richardson is building a two-tenement house on Maple Ave.

Dr. F. A. Charles and family are to move to Farmington, N. H., next week.

Dr. W. D. Walker is building a garage behind his residence on Main street.

Jeremiah O'Connor and family have moved into Daniel Sullivan's house on Maple avenue.

Mrs. W. D. Walker and daughter Helen have been spending a few days in New York City.

Alex J. Dudley has returned to his duties in the Hotel Needham after enjoying a month's vacation.

Mrs. Jenny Bean of Florence street celebrated her birthday last week by entertaining several of her friends.

The regular meeting of Andover lodge, I. O. O. F., will be held next Tuesday evening. Officers will be elected.

The business meeting and social of the South Church Christian Endeavor society has been postponed to Monday evening.

Charles G. Willard is building a two-tenement house on the Cochran estate on Pynchard avenue, recently purchased by him.

Henry Lundgren, who was employed at the Essex street bowling alleys, has left to accept a position in Rochester, N. Y.

The next sewing meeting of the Andover Mothers' club will be held at the home of Mrs. Poland, Elm court, Tuesday, May 14.

Frederick J. Keuhner has accepted a position as private secretary in the office of the general superintendent of the Boston & Maine railroad in Lawrence.

The Andover Christian Endeavor Union will hold its next meeting in the Baptist church, on Monday evening, June 3. The program has not yet been definitely decided upon.

The third in the series of card tournaments between Andover and North Andover lodges of Oddfellows took place on Tuesday evening. There were eight tables. The result of the contest was, Andover, two points, North Andover, one point. The serving of light refreshments and a smoke talk concluded the evening.

The annual meeting of the South Church Men's club will be held next Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The election of officers will take place. The speaker of the evening will be Hon. John N. Cole, who will talk upon some phases of the Lawrence strike, with especial reference to American Syndicalism. Carl Pfau will sing.

The members of the Phoebe Foxcroft Phillips chapter, D. R., were the hosts at the regular monthly reception held in the State society rooms in Boston on Friday, May 3, from two to four o'clock. The members of the chapter present were Mrs. C. E. Abbott, Miss F. A. Parker, Mrs. F. E. Gleason, Mrs. F. H. Foster and Mrs. H. F. Chase.

The Helping Hand society held a very successful apron sale on Tuesday afternoon in the Free church parish house, which netted a very satisfactory sum. As a result of this and other sales the society has announced that it will assume the financial responsibility of providing granolithic walks leading to the various entrances of the church.

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## BOSTON WORLD'S FAIR

Urged by Board of Trade in New Hampshire  
Exeter, N. H., May 9.—The New Hampshire board of trade, in session here, passed a resolution urging that a world's fair be held in Boston in 1920 to commemorate the 300th anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims at Plymouth.

The board also endorsed the proposed extension of the grand trunk across New Hampshire.

### Rockefeller Favors Brown

Providence, May 9.—A second gift of \$25,000 to Brown university from John D. Rockefeller, Jr., was announced late yesterday. The fund has now reached \$815,000 toward the desired \$1,000,000.

### Morse to Return Soon

Bath, Me., May 9.—Charles W. Morse, the former banker, is expected to arrive in Bath in three weeks to pass the summer.

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## SPORTS OF THE WEEK

### Royals Win by Big Score

The Royals badly defeated the Waverley nine of North Andover on the playstead on Saturday afternoon. The final score was 23 to 5. O'Connell, who pitched for the Royals, allowed but six hits, while the local men batted the North Andover pitchers hard. The summary:

#### ROYALS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
O'Connell, lf.	5	3	1	0	0	0
Lund, ss.	5	4	3	2	5	1
Welch, 2b.	6	3	0	4	2	0
E. Collins, c.	6	1	3	10	2	0
Kyle, rf.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Kuehner, rf.	4	0	1	0	0	0
Bowman, cf. p.	5	2	2	1	0	0
G. Collins, lb.	6	4	4	10	1	0
Shattuck, 3b.	6	2	1	0	1	2
E. O'Connell, p. cf.	6	4	5	0	1	1

Total 51 23 20 27 12 4

#### WAVERLEYS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Stewart	4	0	1	2	0	0
Culnon, 3b, rf. 2b	4	0	0	1	0	3
Vaillancourt, 2b, 3b	2	0	0	5	0	2
McKenna, cf. 2b	4	1	0	2	0	2
Hennessey, lf.	4	1	3	1	0	0
Cahill, c.	3	1	1	5	2	2
McCullin, ss.	4	1	1	2	2	2
Broadhead, 1b	3	1	0	3	0	1
Clarke, p.	2	0	0	0	2	2
Cavanaugh, p.	1	0	0	0	0	1
Cote, c.	1	0	0	0	0	1
Burke, cf.	1	0	0	2	0	0

Total 33 5 6 23 6 16

Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Royals 2 3 4 5 2 0 3 4 —23

Waverleys 0 0 0 2 0 0 2 1 0—5

Two-base hits, E. Collins 2, Lund, G. Collins, E. O'Connell 3, Hennessey, Cahill, McCullin. Three-base hits, Lund. Home run, G. Collins.

Hits, off O'Connell 3 in five innings; off Bowman, 3 in four innings; off Clarke, 15 in six innings; off Cavanaugh, 5 in two innings. Sacrifice hits, Clarke. Stolen bases, Royals 17, Waverleys 4. First base on balls, 9, Waverleys 4. Off Clark 3, off Cavanaugh 1. First base on errors, Royals 10, Waverleys 3. Passed balls, Cahill 2. Wild pitches, E. O'Connell. Time, 2 hrs. 30 min. Umpires, L. Howard, J. Perrins.

—Collins out not touching first.

### Phillips Andover Defeated

Harvard Freshman defeated Andover in the second game of the season, played on Brothers Field last Saturday afternoon, by the score of 2 to 0. The visitors were greatly aided by the work of their captain, Frye, who pitched an excellent game.

Andover showed much improvement over her game with Yale, and was especially strong in fielding, having but one error to their opponents' four. The score:

#### ANDOVER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Murphy, 3b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Middlebrook, 2b	4	0	0	2	1	0
Boles, ss.	4	0	0	3	5	0
Mahan, 1b	4	0	1	12	1	0
Conway, lf.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Daugherty, rf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Ames, cf.	4	0	0	3	0	0
Royce, p.	2	0	0	1	2	1
Sharp, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0

Total 34 0 4 27 11 1

#### HARVARD FRESH

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Alsop, lf.	5	0	1	2	0	0
De Windt, 2b	4	0	0	2	1	1
Gennett, rf.	3	0	1	0	0	1
Avres, 1b	4	0	0	12	0	0
Winlock, cf.	4	0	0	2	0	1
Frye, p.	3	0	0	0	1	0
West, ss.	3	1	0	0	1	1
Brickley, c.	3	1	1	9	1	0
Phillips, 3b	4	0	2	0	7	0

Total 33 2 5 27 11 4

Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Harvard '15 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0—2

Two-base hits, Middlebrook. Stolen bases, Daugherty, West, Gennett, Brickley. Sacrifice hits, Conway. First base on balls, by Royce 5. Struck out, by Royce 3, by Sharp, by Frye 8. Passed balls, Brickley. Time, 2 hrs. Umpire, Jordan.

### Ross's Pets Win Again

Ross's Pets defeated the Smith & Dove team on Tuesday, May 7, at the Hillside alleys by a score of 1422 to 1303. Ross was high roller, getting 119 in single string and 330 in three string total. Cairnie was second with 102 in single string and 285 in three string total.

The summary:

	ROSS'S PETS	SMITH & DOVE
Donovan	95	82
Skea	86	91
Cairnie	102	90
Ryley	81	89
Ross	119	113
Totals	483	465

483 465 464 1422

McGrory 89 80 81 250

Jameison 95 74 98 267

Carnathan 72 75 89 236

Nicoll 91 87 101 279

Matthews 99 85 87 271

Total 446 401 456 1303

The following is the record of the Hillside bowling league:

Highest single, Alexander Anderson, 123.

Highest triplet, John McDonald, 324.

Highest team total, New Mill, 1358.

Highest string, New Mill, 475.

### Choir Boys Win

A baseball nine made up of members of Christ church choir defeated a Lawrence church team, 13 to 6, on the old Phillips campus last Saturday morning.

The lineup of the local team was as follows:

E. Davis, c.	L. Dalton, p.
H. Higgins, 1b, rf.	C. Dalton, 2b
M. Dole, ss.	B. McCoubrie, 3b
G. Conkey, rf.	W. Sellars, cf.
A. Swanson, rf. 1b	

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Many Students Had Gone to Homes

Durham, N. H., May 7.—The

striking students of the freshman,

sophomore and junior classes of the

New Hampshire college returned to

their studies at 8 o'clock this morn-

ing.

The strike ended shortly after 6

o'clock last night, but not until the

executive committee of the trustees,

consisting of Hon. Warren Brown of

Hampton, N. H.; Hon. H. L. Bout-

well of Malden, Mass., and Hon. Ed-

ward H. Mason of Nashua, had been

in session all day with the adminis-

tration committee of the college and

the committees of all four classes in

college.

The penalty inflicted upon W. H.

L. Brackett of Greenland, the sopho-

more class president, who had been

suspended for the remainder of the

college year, was shortened to two

weeks. His term of suspension will

end one week from next Wednesday.

However, he has been placed on pro-

bation for the remainder of the college

year.

During the term of his suspension

he is not allowed to attend college

exercises, and can not reside in Dur-

ham. When his suspension is over he

is allowed to return to Durham, but

while on probation is not eligible for

college athletic teams.

The strike ended far more peace-

fully than was expected. Both sides

were forced to give in. The students

return to college without loss of

scholarships and without having to re-

register, as threatened by President

Gibbs. The time limit expired yester-

day noon, but the penalty was

postponed pending the action of the

trustees.

Students who had gone home will be

given a reasonable length of time to

return to their exercises.

### TITANIC BELLBOYS' DROWN

Pastor Francis Claims That Lap Dogs

Were Saved

Boston, May 7.—Saving fifteen

dogs in the first lifeboat of the Titanic

disaster and allowing sixty bellboys

from 12 to 14 years of age to go down

in that steamship was scored by Rev.

Dr. James A. Francis, pastor of the

Clarendon Street Baptist church, be-

fore the Methodist preachers' meet-

ing in Wesleyan hall.

"It was a most damnable thing on

board of that Titanic to tell sixty bel-

lows from 12 to 14 years, when they

came up on deck to be saved to go

and sit down, until they were called

and then take fifteen dogs in that

first lifeboat," said Dr. Francis.

"There they are today in a water

grave, waiting to be called. Now do

you blame people for condemning this

sort of distinction between dogs which

belong to the wealthy and bellboys

who belong to the poorer classes?"



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## MARYLAND GOES TO ROOSEVELT

Colonel Wins by a Majority of One Delegate

### OHIO IS NEXT BATTLEGROUND

First Maryland Reports Favored Roosevelt, Then Taft and Back to the Colonel—Negro Vote Solid For Roosevelt—Taft Greatly Worried as to Conditions in His Own State—Will Make Hard Fight There

Baltimore, May 8.—Colonel Roosevelt will control the Maryland state convention on May 14, by the narrow margin of one vote, insuring Maryland's quota of delegates to the Chicago convention to the Roosevelt list.

Roosevelt captured 66 delegates to the state convention, against Taft's 63. Sixty-five is a majority.

Champ Clark swept the state as the Democratic choice, receiving 80 to Wilson's 45. Harmon secured two.

A peculiar feature of the Republican contest was the fact that in one of the districts in Baltimore Roosevelt won in the preference vote, but Taft delegates were elected to the state convention.

Roosevelt made a complete sweep in Baltimore, carrying every district and ward, in all 12,695 votes against Taft's 7283. The colored vote went to the colonel solidly.

Taft carried the eastern shore and Southern Maryland by substantial majorities.

Clark's preferential vote in Baltimore was greater than Wilson's and Harmon's combined. The Democratic machine swept him to victory in the counties.

Cincinnati, O., May 8.—President Taft's home state, bids fair to become the battleground where the president and Theodore Roosevelt will fight to a finish one of the decisive "actions" of the present campaign for the Republican presidential nomination. Friends of President Taft declared that the result of the Maryland primaries made it certain that the struggle for Ohio would be hard and fierce.

The Ohio campaign will wind up only a few days before the primaries May 21, and from his home state the president probably will turn his attention to New Jersey, which gives her opinion of the presidential candidates one week later. So far no invasions by the president of other states in which primaries are to be held have been planned. The president is resting for the first time in several weeks, but today he starts north on a sixteen-hour tour that ends in Columbus late tonight and on which he will make at least fourteen speeches in towns of all sizes.

The president is said not to be discouraged by the fact that Roosevelt won out in the Maryland primaries. Mr. Taft spent only one day campaigning there, and was said to feel that he had done well, although other members of his party were disappointed.

### FOREIGN MISSION REPORT

Women Submit Same to Methodist General Conference

Minneapolis, May 8.—The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church have reported to the general conference that good results had followed the development of the society into the home and foreign departments; the establishment of new enterprises; great increase in receipts; and the uniting of the society with women's boards of other denominations in establishing and maintaining union enterprises in the foreign field. The report showed a total membership of 283,172 and the receipt of \$3,052,609 in the last four years. Much of the report was devoted to a review of the work in foreign lands. Of the China missions, the report says: "The medical work with but twelve hospitals as centres, is gaining the respect of the people; 142,531 patients were treated last year. Chinese girls are gladly taking the medical course to become physicians or nurses. The revolution in China is giving the missionaries access to many who could never before be reached. It is elevating Christian men to official position and giving new influence to the women of the households."

Favorable comment is made on the mission work in India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, the Philippines, Africa and South America.

**Son's Life Saved by Father**  
Bridgewater, Mass., May 6.—Breenelle Hunt, principal of the Model school of this town, saved the life of his son, Norman, by giving a quart of his blood by transfusion to the 5-year-old lad. Hunt returned to his home here with the satisfaction of knowing that his son's life would be saved.

**Cavalry For Mexican Border**  
Lawrence Strike Probe Blunted  
Washington, May 8.—The senate passed the Polindexter resolution for an investigation of the Lawrence strike. It was amended, however, so that the investigation will apparently be only a formality.

## CLEANINGS ON BEACON HILL

Labor Department Bill Likely of Enactment

### HILL MAY BE NEXT GOVERNOR

Representative Greenwood Maintains Courage of His Convictions—Bank Depositors Affected by New Law—Towns May Not Provide Clothing or Meals For Students

Pretty much the same situation between the governor and legislature is growing up this year as last year. The Lomasneys have made up their minds to teach the governor a severe lesson upon the subject of vetoes. The result is that there has been a persistent effort and a successful one to push bills through notwithstanding the objections of his excellency. As a matter of fact the Lomasney-Fitzgerald machine has never occupied a place next the throne of the governor, although it was urged that it would have too much power if the governor were elected. The governor's best friends are the Republican stalwarts plus some up-state Democrats.

"Canonization?"  
The Boston Common thinks that Speaker Cushing has "Canonized" the house. The Common is about the only agency that has been able to discover the likeness between Cannon and Cushing. In the first place the rules of the Massachusetts house are so liberal as to prevent an undue machine rule of the house. Secondly Cushing has been eminently fair. Thirdly, the loyalty of the house was shown by the readiness to accept Channing Sox as speaker pro tem during the sickness of the speaker.

The truth is that not since the days of Speaker Cole has the house been so well governed and with so little display of petty and sentimental politics.

**New Labor Department**  
It begins to look as if the labor department bill might be enacted this year, although there is very little except faddism to speak for it. All of the inspection of the state will be placed under the new bureau if the bill passes. The bureau will name a labor commissioner.

The chief argument for the bill is that it centralizes control of inspection which now is divided between the board of health and the chief of the state police. Chief Whitney is making a hard fight to have the inspection all placed under his department with the board of health making rules for his enforcement.

### Messenger's Salary Bill

The defeat of the bill to increase by \$200 the salary of the messenger in the office of the state treasurer has brought to a close a singular situation. The bill was pushed along by friends of the messenger in the face of the statement of the state treasurer that if it became a law he would discharge the messenger. And now Mr. Stevens remarks that he thinks he will fire the messenger anyway.

### Town Libraries

The library commission is doing a work on the libraries of the state that will be copied in all other states sooner or later, with its bureau of information, its visitors and in encouragement to small libraries. In its recent report upon the city and town libraries there is a line of information. For instance it appears that the city of Newton provides books in Italian, French and Polish for its citizens of that nationality. The school circulation of Newton is 25,000. The little town of Lee also looks out for its foreign born citizens, and is the only small town to do so.

Reading is using the library of the town of Wakefield until its own can be reconstructed from the disastrous fire of last fall. In Winchendon where the Beals Memorial library is ready for use, there has been a new classification of books and a new catalogue. Mrs. Theodore P. Adams has given a collection of music to the Plymouth library.

### Start For Next Year

Two of the most disappointed men at the state house over the failure of the new campaign expense law to pass are Mr. Fuller, the watchful representative of the Boston Common, and Johnny Cogswell of Lynn. As a progressive team they are away at the top. Both say they will begin right off to fight for the enactment of the bill next year.

### Rooney to Be Editor

"Charlie" Rooney, the capable state house representative of the Boston Traveler, is soon to quit for a position upon the editorial staff of his paper. Rooney has now been at the state house for three years, following his secretaryship in Washington. He is a careful student of passing events, careful in speech and accurate. His friends predict that the editorials of the Traveler will be read with increased interest, particularly those which deal with affairs at the general court.

### Chace Decides Early

Senator Chace had quite a lot of trouble over the "peaceful picketing" bill. It came near being like the

episode on the presidential primary when Chace surprised his conservative friends by voting for the measure. But the senator made up his mind early this time and did not listen to the alluring arguments of the progressives. The persuasion bill is by no means a revolutionary measure, although it embodies into statute law what has long been enunciated by judges, that there is a right of peacefully persuading a man not to seek employment in certain places where there is a strike. The argument of the labor attorneys for the bill is that it would restate the law.

### Hill Discussed

A long time before the presidential primaries mention was made of Arthur D. Hill as a prospective candidate for governor. His chances have not been lessened by the results of the primary and among the Roosevelt men he is openly talked of as a candidate if he will consent to the use of his name. Hill would enter the fight with fewer enemies than either Walker or Frothingham. He would have the support of the Roosevelt progressives and of many of the Lodge-Crane men.

So far he has absolutely declined to talk of it, saying that he cannot leave his practice of law. He left it, however, to become district attorney of Suffolk county by appointment of Governor Draper.

### Greenwood Courageous

Mr. Greenwood of Everett is really one of the most courageous men in the house. Probably he is the most courageous. There has hardly been a question this year upon which he has not chosen the unpopular side. He is a veritable watchdog of the treasury and a guardian of public safety. Many men start that way, but few stay as long. When it comes to the larger activities of a senatorial district there is a tempting opportunity to muse upon whether he will be chosen to representative it against some man like Cavanaugh who today would consider nothing short of governor.

In a comforting and tactful way Greenwood made a statement upon the salary of the attorney general that merits applause. It was that the attorney general don't need much salary, because he gets the prestige. Attorney Generals nowadays get work enough to occupy their whole time, as was remarked last week when the life of Jimmy Smith was prepared with that of the late Hosea Knowlton.

### The Magnificent

Pazeley the magnificent is the name he is fast earning. Looking like a fashion plate in and out of the committee room the Uxbridge representative legislates and smiles in silence. No long and tedious orator he. Let others do it. The freshness of his boutonniere is never tarnished. He never winced when the Boston American the other day printed a story calling him "Bazeley, the gentleman from ward 11." William, you please us.

### Brackett Wins Praise

About Brackett. It looks as if he were making good when Martin Lomasney comes up and says that he's learning. That means a great deal more than one would think. It means more than that Brackett is getting an aptitude for legislation. It means that he is beginning to view legislation from the humanitarian point of view. That's the kind of a man Lomasney likes. Last year Brackett could not follow Martin far. But this year there have been a number of matters in which the gentleman from Arlington acted in such a way as to win the sincerest approval from the Boston leader. That is, on human interest matters, affecting the fortunes of the people.

### Must Give Notice

Bank depositors would do well to remember the important law passed this year relative to the liability of having honored forged checks. Hereafter, unless the depositor notifies the bank that a forged instrument has been cashed, the depositor and not the bank will be liable for the loss. It is one of the little changes in law that cost people money sometimes if they haven't noticed it.

### Can't Clean Hats

One particular assault upon the peace of the Sabbath has been promptly checked this year together with other attempts. The one referred to was a bill which would permit the little hat cleaning stands to keep open. While the Sunday permits to play games did receive an opportunity for debate, the hat cleaning bill was turned down by the committee and the adverse quickly accepted without debate.

### The Paternal Bills

The bills to permit cities and towns to provide clothing and meals for poor school children is probably the most advanced legislation toward paternalism ever proposed in the Massachusetts legislature. Both bills were finally rejected in the senate. To some people it seems absolutely incomprehensible why a man would be unwilling to vote for a permissive bill.

But the conservatives of the senate who are still in a majority have united against all kinds of paternal or Socialistic legislation. There is some doubt, however, as to whether such legislation would not cause parents who take advantage of it absolutely to neglect their children.

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#### PROBATE COURT

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of John B. Hinchcliff late of Andover in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Nellie L. Hinchcliff of Andover in the County of Essex without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Newburyport in said County of Essex, on the twenty-seventh day of May A.D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

ARTHUR BOGUE, Register.

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Essex, ss.

#### PROBATE COURT

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry S. Robinson, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased have been presented to said Court, for probate, by Julia I. Robinson and Joseph M. Robinson, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lawrence in said County of Essex, on the thirteenth day of May, A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

ARTHUR BOGUE, Register.

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Essex, ss.

#### PROBATE COURT

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Sarah Forbes Pemberton, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for probate, by Henry Merrill, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lawrence, in said County of Essex, on the thirteenth day of May, A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

ARTHUR BOGUE, Register.

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Essex, ss.

#### PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of Rebecca Bartlett Mills late of Andover in said County, widow, deceased:

WHEREAS, Edward C. Mills and Mary B. Mills executors of the will of said deceased, have presented for allowance, the final account of their administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem in said County, on the twentieth day of May, A. D. 1912 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executors are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

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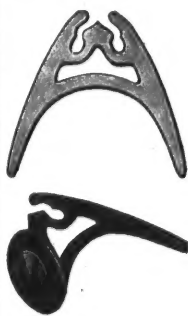
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### And This in Andover

"Mark for eight," was the legend at the head of the ballot and "Mark for eight" was uttered over and over again, in all comment that was made upon the primary ballot used in last week's first primary election.

When there was suggestion made at the Andover polling place that notwithstanding all of these admonitions, some voters were being fooled by the name of Sieberlich, additional warning was given through a circular. And yet nearly twenty per cent of the votes cast for Taft delegates were thrown out because forty-eight voters "voted for nine."

This same story is told all over the state, and while the chief result was the loss of the eight delegates at large, the more striking result is an indictment of the primary law under which the election was held, that demands emphatic changes. The writer believes the entire scheme of "direct action" of which the primary law is a part, to be unwise and not at all in accord with the American form of government, but if a change must come in response to all of the present agitation, do let it be more carefully planned and worked out than the "first attempt" now under indictment. Here is Frank Sanborn's comment in the Springfield Republican, Sanbornesque and true:

"Tacitus said the gods of Rome must be fond of a bad joke—else they never would have allowed Claudius to be emperor of Rome. We may say the same about the guardian angels of Massachusetts, if they were on duty in the grand display of eloquence and blackguardry in rushing through the presidential preference bill which was hurried through our General Court and has ended in a mix-up which would disgrace a community of imbeciles. Taft has the Republican vote by 4000 nominally, but really, as the ballots would show, by some 15,000, probably. But the Roosevelt delegates are chosen; and the Taft alternates, so far as we can guess—for nobody seems to know. Teddy and his millionaires have spent some \$150,000, and now their candidate is disclaiming the vote of his delegates chosen, as we see, by the anti-Catholic vote, St. Patrick to the contrary notwithstanding.

Everything is muddled, nobody is benefited and the State is disgraced—all for what?

### Editorial Cinders

If one will dance he must pay the fiddler, and never did the truth of this promise to show greater force than in connection with the prospective state tax for 1912. Already it is bound to be over a million larger than a year ago, and unless there is a sharp halt, it will reach an increase of over two millions. Right in this one trend is more valuable meat for consideration in connection with the "high cost of living" than any ten pages of Lawson's effusions. And incidentally, while such considerations would hardly fat any stock gambler's account it would really help the widows and orphans and "your sister, wife and mother."

What about baseball in Andover this year? We don't refer to the play at the Academy, but to the summer entertainment that could come if there were only united action to bring it about. Andover has as many good players as the next town and a live effort to form a league of several teams, with proper oversight and general cooperation, would give a series of games for the summer months, to afford pleasure to many baseball lovers. Somebody start the ball and then let "everybody do it."

The offer of the Phillips Academy authorities to place the swimming pool at the disposal of Andover youth under certain necessary restrictions, is not only a suggested summer recreation that will be much appreciated, but is a further evidence of the cordial relations existing between the school and the town. There are few accomplishments of more real value than that of swimming, and it will be surprising if there are not many responses to this offer.

The Guild is still doing good work and its most recently organized helper, the Woman's Auxiliary, is one of its most efficient aids. A report elsewhere shows that nearly five hundred dollars has been their portion of the money help, while in the enthusiasm and support to come from a hundred ladies who are really interested, no one can estimate the value of their contribution.

### Repairs on Home Complete

The board of managers of the Andover Home for Aged people held an adjourned meeting at The Home on Tuesday evening. It was the first time the house had been used since the repairs were completed, and a very happy group of men and women went on a tour of inspection from room to room through the brilliantly lighted, steam heated house, admiring the artistic papers on the walls, the perfect sanitary arrangements, and the general air of snugness and comfort visible everywhere. Probably nowhere in New England will there be found a cosier place for tired old people to rest in awhile, than on Puncard avenue. The Home hopes to be "at home" on Saturday, June first, to everyone who wishes to inspect it.

### Selectmen's Appointments

The following appointments were made this week by the selectmen: Engineers of the fire department: Lewis T. Hardy, Walter I. Morse, Allan Simpson.

Auctioneers' licenses were granted to the following: Barnett Rogers, George S. Cole, John Traynor, Samuel P. Hulme.

Junk dealers' licenses, Oliver W. Vennard, Bernard Goldstein, John Stewart and Mrs. Abby Cunningham.

### Plans for Academy Church

Tentative plans are being discussed for an Academy church which is to take the place of the Seminary church. It is proposed that the new organization be known as the Church of Christ in Phillips Academy, that it be undenominational and exist for the purpose of encouraging church relationship and membership among the student body and the faculty, that membership be temporary and not necessitate the severing of connections with home churches.

No definite decision in regard to this or any plan has yet been reached, but it is expected that the Seminary church will meet in the near future to take action upon the matter.

### Eighty Dollars for Nurse Fund

During the past ten days gifts and pledges for the Visiting Nurse Fund have been coming in rapidly. The Committee greatly appreciates this prompt response. The largest gift has been one of \$80.50 from the Grange, the proceeds of the recent successful play. This unsolicited and generous gift calls for special thanks. The November club has just sent \$25.00, and forty-eight individuals have made contributions or pledges. Among these are a number of smaller sums. About \$400 more is needed to provide for the year's expenses. It should be clearly understood that all fees for the nurse's services go into the general fund. Copies of the printed report will be sent to any desiring them.

M. W. STACKPOLE,  
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### Annual Meeting of Andover Guild

The annual meeting of the corporation of the Andover Guild will be held at the Guild House next Tuesday evening, May 14, at quarter of eight, for the election of directors and any other business that may legally come before them.

By order,  
EMMA H. ALLEN, Clerk

### Man Dies From Injuries

A serious accident occurred last Saturday on the Ballardvale road just below the Stephen Abbott place, as a result of which one of the men injured has since died.

The man, together with his three sons, was driving from Reading to Ballardvale. In their wagon was a table which they were carrying to the Vale. While going down the Ballardvale road the harness broke, and the horse becoming frightened, ran, throwing out the occupants of the team. One of the sons was slightly injured; the other two escaped unharmed. The man was not so fortunate, however; he was removed to his home in Reading in a serious condition and passed away within a few hours.

It was found that the deceased was a Mr. Quinlin of Reading, whose business was that of restoring antique furniture.

### Abbot Academy Notes

"L'Avocat Patelin," the amusing little comedy presented Tuesday evening by the French department, went off with a great deal of dash and spirit. The actors seemed perfectly at home in the language, and entered with much zest into the fun of the play. The good French, the good acting, and the many droll situations were thoroughly enjoyed by the audience, who felt grateful to Miss Sherman and the French department for a very pleasant evening.

Tomorrow afternoon at half-past two in Abbot Hall, Dr. William A. Neilson of Harvard will give a lecture on Ballads. Mr. Neilson has spoken to the school several times before now, and is always interesting and inspiring. The lecture is open to the public at the usual charge of 35 cents. Dr. Charles H. Cutler spoke to the school at the Saturday evening meeting.

### Scenario of the Pageant

Below is given the scenario for the Pageant of the Seasons which is to take place under the direction of H. Winthrop Peirce in the town hall on May 21.

I

Flora, Pomona, Ceres, attended by the Four Winds, watch the passing Months, from the end of Winter until Winter comes again.

II

Winter, old and spent, totters to his end. Behind him come the Wild March Winds to clear the way for Summer.

III

The River God comes, bound with the chains of Winter; in the warm sun he breaks his fetters and dances in brook and river.

IV

April lifts the brown earth covering under which she has slept and rejoices as the Song of Spring is heard.

V

May comes with gladsome dance. She brings the Violets, Buttercups, Daisies, Tulips and Dandelions to dance about the May Pole.

VI

June leads in the Graduates. Roses dance while the Strawberry pipes to them.

VII

With July comes the Glorious Fourth; Uncle Sam and his children.

X

Through the Summer Night the Bat and the Moths flit, while the Planets move in stately dance.

XI

August comes with song. Haymakers dance.

XII

The Grasshopper skips and dances. The harvest of September: the Peach, Pear, Grape, Celery, Corn, Carrot and Beet dance together.

XV

The Summer done; gay Maple Leaves flutter in the Autumn Wind. Winter, his strength renewed, comes again to claim his own.

The Leaves fly before him, and drop to earth as he calls the Cold Winds to his aid.

Flora, Pomona, Ceres and the South Wind depart. Winter stands in triumph. Sleighbells are heard, and as Thanksgiving and Christmas draw near, the pageant ends.

### Will Sing Cantata

An excellent program has been arranged for the musical service to take place next Sunday evening at the Free church, at 7:30 o'clock. The chorus of fifteen voices will be in charge of Edwin G. Booth, organist and choirmaster, while the solo work will be done by Miss Jean E. Dundas, Miss Dorothy Moncur and Miss Mary Scott, and Wm. Scott. The cantata, "The Risen King," by Schaefer, and also two anthems, "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross," by Maker, and "Spirit of God," by Humason, will be sung by the chorus. The program:

Organ Prelude—Largo Handel  
Anthem—"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" Maker  
Invocation  
Hymn, No. 171—"O Sacred Head Now Wounded" Congregation  
Responsive Reading  
Introduction and Chorus—"This is the Day" Schaefer's "The Risen King"  
Scripture Reading  
Hymn, No. 173—"In the Cross of Christ I Glory" Congregation  
PART 1, "THE RISEN KING"  
Chorus of Men—"As It Began to Dawn"  
Trio of Women—"With Loving Hearts and Laden Hands"  
Recitative, Men—"But when they came unto the sepulchre"  
Chorus—"The Lord is risen"  
Address

PART 2 AND FINALE  
Recitative, Men—"Then went they out quickly"  
Chorus—"Weeping for Him"  
Alto Solo—"They have taken away my Lord"

Miss Jean E. Dundas  
Recitative—"And when she had thus said"  
Chorus—"O grave, where is thy victory"  
Finale—"Unto Him who loved us"

Prayer  
Solo, Trio and Chorus—"Spirit of God" Humason  
(Soprano solo, Miss Dorothy Moncur)  
(Trio, Misses Scott and Dundas, Mr. Scott)

Hymn, No. 67—"Sweet Saviour, bless us" Monk  
Benediction  
Organ Postlude—Hallelujah Chorus Handel

Sopranos: Misses Mary W. Scott, Alice S. Coutts, Dorothy Kaye, Dorothy Moncur; altos: Misses Jean E. Dundas, Grace Leslie, Susie Wilkie; tenors: William Scott, Wm. Crowe, William MacEwan; basses: Geo. A. Christie, Robert Williams, Clifford Dannels, William M. Coutts, Wm. Hodge; organist and choirmaster: Edwin G. Booth.

### Phillips Academy Notes

A new Phillips club has just been formed, to which belong Andover and Exeter men at Harvard. The organization was formally made at a banquet held last Friday evening at the Harvard Union.

Prof. Moorehead has commenced work exploring Fort Benner, the earthworks found near Lowell Junction.

The tennis team won its first match of the season from Milton Academy last Saturday.

The game with New Hampshire State team, scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, was not played owing to the weather.

## THE VILLAGE SCHOOL MARM

Three-Act Play Given by Rebekahs  
Last Friday Night. Comedy  
Followed by Dance

A good-sized audience was in attendance last Friday evening at the play, "The Village Schoolmarm," presented in the town hall by members of Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge. The play was the story of a young school teacher in a country village, who is looked upon with suspicion by the busybodies and gossips, and of a commercial traveller who endeavors to entrap a simple, innocent country girl, and who is thwarted by the teacher. The characters, both principal and minor ones, were well drawn, and with a few exceptions were in good hands. The lines contained many bits of humor and homely truths which were much appreciated by the audience.

Of the members of the cast, two or three did especially good work. Mrs. William Faulkner, as Miss Pratt, the dressmaker, was the embodiment of all the peculiarities of a maiden lady very much given over to gossip and interest in her neighbors affairs, at the same time possessing an overpowering fear lest she do or say something not becoming in a "girl." Her conversations with Mrs. Alcott (Mrs. Millie B. Hammond), who was also burning up with curiosity concerning everybody and everything, were faithful representations of the comments and gossip supposed to be characteristic of small country towns.

Special credit should be given to Mrs. Walter Buxton for the success with which she took the part of the boy Tad, shrewd, keen, wide awake and mischievous. Tad's manoeuvres while making love to Fannie were very much enjoyed.

Miss Sadie Hobbs was also much enjoyed in her impersonation of Mr. Alcott, the apparently meek and timid husband, but when his wife was not within hearing, capable of expressing his opinions in regard to matters in no uncertain way.

Miss Lottie Hill made an attractive and resourceful school teacher; Miss Edith Whitman was well received in the part of Ida May, the country girl whose few "advantages" were very obvious but whose judgment was immature; Ira Buxton presented a rather unusual type, a garulous, boastful and lazy G. A. R. veteran; Miss Florence Mears made a pretty Posie; Roland Lindsay took the role of Mr. Elliott, the storekeeper and postmaster in love with the school teacher, in a business-like and satisfactory way, although the part was not one in which he appeared to as much advantage as he has done in character parts on other occasions. The village minister was played by Harry Kibbee.

Between the acts music was rendered by the Columbian orchestra. The play was followed by dancing, which was enjoyed by a large number.

### Recount of Votes

On Monday evening a recount of the Republican ballots cast in Andover at the primaries last week was made. It was found that forty-eight ballots counted as blanks owing to the fact that the names of nine instead of eight delegates pledged to Taft were marked. That this large percentage of ballots was thrown out was due to the confusion resulting from the grouping of the names of the Taft delegates, and that the eight candidates in Group 3 pledged to Taft were voted for and also Frank Sieberlich, pledged to Taft, making a total of nine votes.

At the recount here, the Roosevelt votes were not counted again, the main object in going over the ballots being to ascertain how many votes for the Taft delegates were invalid.



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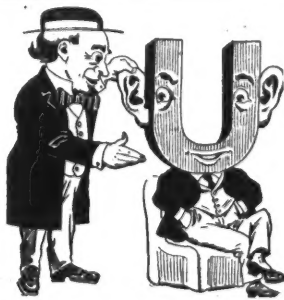
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If, before the first of June, a sufficient number of the men, women, youths, boys and girls of Andover notify Dr. Page, physical director at Phillips Academy, of their desire to use the new swimming pool during the months of July and August, the authorities of Phillips Academy will make the necessary arrangements to form swimming classes under a competent instructor.

There has been a desire on the part of the institution on the hill to allow the public of Andover an opportunity to use the playgrounds there during the summer months, and Principal Stearns announced recently that this summer the various playgrounds would be open to the boys of the town, under proper supervision.

This week the announcement is made in regard to the swimming pool, one of the finest in the state, and there can hardly be any doubt but that there will be a great response by the people of the town. There will be considerable expense to the Phillips authorities in maintaining an instructor and also providing heat for the shower baths. As the central heating plant will naturally be shut down, some other arrangements for heating will have to be made. This is a great opportunity for boys and girls to learn to swim, and in order that arrangements can be properly made, all those who intend to take advantage of the offer will kindly send a postal to Dr. P. S. Page, Phillips Academy, before the first of June, or leave their names at the Townsman office, or at H. F. Chase's athletic store.

## Report of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Guild for the Year Ending May 3, 1912

The annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary was held at the Guild House Friday last, May 3. The annual election of officers resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. Horace H. Tyler.  
Vice-presidents, Mrs. Percival Dove, Mrs. M. J. Curran, Mrs. Philip Ripley, Mrs. Joseph W. Smith.  
Advisory Board: Mrs. A. W. Leonard, Mrs. E. A. Baldwin, Mrs. Anna Paddock, Mrs. Wm. Higgins, Miss Mary Bancroft, Miss Frances Tyler, Mrs. A. E. Stearns.

The resignation of Mrs. Percival Dove as president was accepted with regret and appreciation of her able leadership during the year past. The choice of Mrs. Tyler as her successor ensures an efficient head of the organization.

The Auxiliary was organized in March, 1911, for the purpose of advancing the interests of the Guild, and cooperating with its Board of Directors. As the immediate need of the Guild at that time was funds to carry on the summer school, the Auxiliary undertook this as their first effort and raised \$225 for the support of this work, and during the winter \$250 was given to the Guild for general expenses. A contribution will again be made for the summer school this coming season. This money has been raised by the membership fees and entertainments during the past year, the committee having held the Harvest Ball, and a card party for ladies. These entertainments mean much work for the committee in charge and the results have been most praiseworthy.

Besides aiding the Guild financially the Auxiliary, through its committees, has assumed the responsibility of the relief work, the clothing sales, the Sunday afternoons at the Guild House, and the appointment of matrons for the Saturday evening entertainments, all of which has been a great help to the Guild.

The Auxiliary has now a membership of 225, and it is earnestly hoped that many new members will be added the coming year, the only requisite for membership being interest in the cause, and the payment of the annual fee of fifty cents. Many women who are too busy for active work in the organization can aid materially by increasing the list of members. The annual fee is now due and may be sent to Mrs. F. H. Messer, Treasurer. Too much appreciation cannot be given to the different committees for their enthusiastic and untiring work and to the members of the Auxiliary for their hearty response and loyal support. Let us hope for even greater zeal the coming year.

AMY F. TROW, Sec'y

## Mothers' Day Next Sunday

In nearly every city, town and hamlet in the country the white carnation will be worn next Sunday in observance of Mothers' day. The second Sunday in May was chosen by Miss Anna T. Jarvis, founder of Mothers' day, as the day for all men, women and children to join in reviving mother memories and associations. Sunday was selected because it was the home of Miss Jarvis to make the observance a religious one. She chose the white carnation because it signified purity and lasting quality and typified all that a mother was to the family. Anyone knowing a mother's favorite flower other than the white carnation, however, is urged to wear it.

## Marriage

In Andover, May 4, at the residence of the bride's parents, 125 North Main street, by Rev. Frederic Palmer, D.D., Miss Margaret Watt Vannett to Albert Cole.

An interesting missions institute was held at Christ church on Thursday evening. Addresses were made by Rev. Wm. E. Gardner, secretary of the New England Department of the General Board of Missions, and Mrs. Annie Hargreaves of the Philippine Islands.

Rev. Frederic G. Chutter will preach at the South church next Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor.

## Children Give Entertainment

The boys and girls of St. Augustine's church gave a very pleasing entertainment in the town hall on Wednesday, which in spite of the very disagreeable weather was largely attended. The program included several songs and sketches in which a large number of children, some of whom were in costume, took part; also a pantomime, "Nearer, My God, to Thee," and a play entitled, "The Lost Prince." Excellent work was done by the boys and girls, and much credit is due to those who had the affair in charge.

The program in detail follows:

Solo—Tittle Tattle Tattle Tale  
Billy Harnedy  
Chorus: Mary Manion, Katherine Leary, Etta Cashan, Helen Breen, Henry Dolan, John Comeau, Barker Higgins, Francis English, Frank Nelligan, John Darby, John Buss, Arthur Slaine, Joseph Fallon.

Pickaninny Pastimes  
Elizabeth Sweeney, Katherine Hickey, Katherine Veli, Mary Hurley, Florence O'Connell, Helen Hurley, Alice Welch, Mary Cronin, Arthur Leary, Ray Bowman, William Ronan, John Barrett, George Markey, Leo Daley, Neil Cussen, John McGrath.

Feminine Bravery  
Emma, Rita Adams; Mary, Mary Hurley; Hester, Anna Keefe; Nell, Mary Kennedy; Jennie, Annie Coyle; Tom, Francis Adams.

"Nearer My God to Thee" Pantomime  
Elizabeth Sweeney, Jennie Sweeney, Maud Fitzgerald, Agnes Robertson, Annie Harnedy, Katherine Daly, Elizabeth Eldred, Marguerite Donovan, Eunice Stack, Margaret Sweeney, Lillian McCarthy.  
Angels—Helen Collins, Alice Nelligan, Rita Kyle, Josephine Carroll, Kathleen Hart, Rose Markey, Rose Winters.

Cuddle Down—Action Song  
Mary Murphy, Anna Keefe, Alice Barrett, Josie Lynch, Edith Sweeney, Miriam Sweeney, Josie Carroll, Helen Lynch, Mabel Sullivan, Mary Burbine, Nellie Brown, Kathleen Hart, Annie Hickey, Nora Cronin, Helen Sutcliffe, Katherine Hurley.

Merry Sailor Lads  
Joseph Hickey, Billy Harnedy, Raymond English, George Markey, James Green, John Green, Stephen McNally, John Harnedy, John Doherty, Francis Adams.

Play—"The Lost Prince"  
King Adolphus Joseph Robinson  
Queen Verita Irene Arnold  
Princess Christabelle Alice Higgins  
Prince Tanartella (wicked fairy) Baby

Violetta (good fairy) Margaret Sweeney  
Easter Spirit Eunice Stack  
Smurza (magician) Annie Harnedy  
Nurse Robert Winters  
Maid Lillian McCarthy  
Lord High Chamberlain Maud Fitzgerald  
Guards John Barrett

Arthur Leary and Harry English  
Ladies in Waiting Katherine Daly, Frances McGrath  
Page Billy Harnedy  
Star Spangled Banner Chorus

## Communication

My dear Mr. Editor:

May I call the attention of the Townsman readers to a comparison between Anti-Suffragists and Suffragists as illustrated in the Titanic disaster. A New York paper commenting on the point of view of the suffragists says:

"In all civilization and in all the religion under civilization the obligation of the stronger to protect, prefer and preserve the weaker is recognized. In all calamity or danger that befalls civilized beings this is acted on. Such as refuse to act on it are justifiably abhorred and defensibly exterminated in the general interest. None appreciate this more than normal men. None approve and applaud this more than normal women. It is in the nature of both. It is in the grace-made differentiation of each from the other and in the mutual recognition of that differentiation by both sexes.

"When we find ladies such as Mrs. Anna Howard Shaw or Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch and other ladies, declaring that women should not be preferred in life-saving disasters and that men are going against nature and natural instinct in so preferring them, we are glad that the number of such ladies is few; glad that the mass of their sex and the whole of our own differ from them, and not slow to assure them that men, mere men and all men, would save them and sacrifice themselves in such circumstances as befell both sexes on the Titanic! In these really gentle and not at all fierce ladies the zeal for suffrage has become an obsession. They may not get over it and they may not get suffrage because of their obsession. But that is for the future. The fact in the present is that they have made a blunder which the mass of their own sex will deplore, or denounce or deride. They are against civilization, and against the culture civilization fosters, and they run back toward the barbarism from which men will restrain them, if necessary, by the force of laws or of arguments, or, in dire exigency, even of caramels."

Compare this with the tribute to Titanic's men adopted last week by the Massachusetts Association of suffrage to women, at the annual meeting in Boston:

"We honor alike the British seamen and the American passengers who testified the willingness of the men of the English-speaking race to sacrifice themselves even unto death for the protection and welfare of the women. We offer this tribute not to these men only, but to the spirit of true manhood on both sides of the ocean which this act typifies, believing that while this spirit lives there can be no fear for the future, and that it will never die unless we women prove ourselves unworthy of such sacrifice."

A. S.

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## ABBOTT VILLAGE

Mrs. Guthrie of Red Spring road is confined to her home this week by sickness.

The usual monthly service of song was held in Abbott Village hall on Sunday evening. There was special singing by eight boys from the Free Church Sunday school. Rev. Frederick A. Wilson made the address. The meeting was well attended.

John Young of Brechin terrace has removed his family to North Main street.

A large delegation of Good Templars of the village attended the installation of officers of the Ballardvale lodge last Monday.

Among the arrivals on the Allan liner Numidian, Glasgow to Boston, booked for Andover were James Armour and James McShane of Johnston, Scotland. The former, after spending a few days visiting friends here, went to Lawrence where he is to reside. The latter will make his home with George Petrie of Shawheen road. He has accepted a position as woolsorter in the Wood Mill, Lawrence. Also on the same boat was Michael Kelly of Cookstown, County Tyrone, Ireland.

Hugh Toy of Baker's lane has commenced work in the Batch house of the Smith & Dove Co.

David Black of Essex street has removed his family to 3 Brechin terrace.

Marshall Walker visited Boston last Saturday and was present at the performance at the Boston Opera house.

Isaac Cuthill of High street, master machinist, had the misfortune to get the top of his thumb of his right hand taken off while repairing some machinery in the twisting room of the Smith & Dove Co. this week.

Among the arrivals on the Cunard liner "Franconia," Liverpool to Boston, were Davies McKee of Killyleigh, County Down, Ireland. He will take up his abode with Harry McKee of Maple avenue.

The Pride of Andover Temple, I. O. G. T., No. 45, will hold their usual bi-weekly meeting in Abbott Village hall on Thursday, May 16. Officers will be installed for the quarter term. Dues for the current quarter are payable at this meeting.

Owing to the Andover United Football team travelling to Lawrence in the final game of the Marshall Cup series, the cricket game between Andover and Lawrence has been postponed from the 11th of May to Decoration Day.

## Obituary

### BESSIE R. HILL

Mrs. Bessie R. Hill, widow of the late Robt. Hill, for many years a well-known resident of Andover, passed away at her home, 53 Elm street, on Thursday afternoon, May 9. The deceased was fifty-two years of age. She had been in poor health for some time, and during the past two weeks had failed rapidly.

She was born in Pictou, Nova Scotia, but her residence here had identified her with Andover, and she had many friends here who regret her loss.

She leaves one son, Robert, her mother, three sisters, Mrs. Asa Sewell and Mrs. George Myers of Quincy, and Miss Rachael Cameron of Andover, and two brothers, Duncan and Alexander Cameron of Nova Scotia.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, and will be conducted by Dr. Frederic Palmer. Burial in the Episcopal cemetery.

### MARY L. LOUDEN

Mary L. Louden, wife of Daniel D. Louden, died at the family home, 222 North Main street, on Wednesday, May 8, aged 32 years. Besides her husband she leaves one son, five years of age.

Funeral services will be held at the house on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. F. A. Wilson will officiate. Burial will be in Spring Grove cemetery.

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When Rufus is asked for anything the store doesn't happen to have on hand he always says, "We are out of that just now, but we have a carload coming." And "Rufus' carload" is a local joke.

"Rufus," asked a customer one day, "do you know where I can get a hired girl?"

"Well," said Rufus, "we haven't any now, but we have a carload coming."

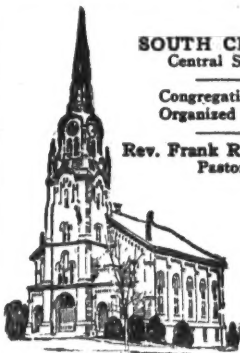
—Saturday Evening Post.

**Nothing Wasted.**

The Customer—Aren't you wasting a good deal of that steak in trimming it? The Butcher—No, ma'am. I weighed it first.—London Sketch.

The habit of doing little hard things promptly and bravely is the best preparation for the crises of life.

## CHURCH CALENDAR FOR NEXT WEEK



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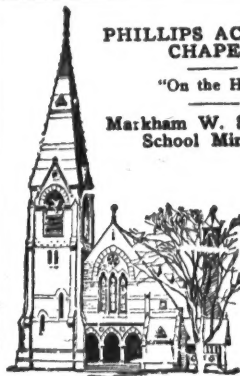
Congregational

Organized 1711

Rev. Frank R. Shipman

Pastor

10.30. Morning worship, with sermon by Rev. Frederick G. Chutter. Also, Sunday kindergarten.  
12.00. Sunday School; observance of "Mothers' Sunday."  
6.30. Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.45 Wednesday. Midweek meeting.  
3.30 Thursday. Women's Union missionary meeting.  
7.45 Thursday. Choir practice.  
7.45 Friday. Y. P. S. C. E. business meeting and social.  
7.45 Friday. Men's club.



### PHILLIPS ACADEMY CHAPEL

"On the Hill"

Markham W. Stackpole

School Minister

10.30. Morning service, with sermon by the school minister.  
11.30. Sunday School in Bartlett Chapel.  
7.45. Vesper service with address by Mr. David R. Porter, Secretary for Preparatory Schools, International Y. M. C. A.

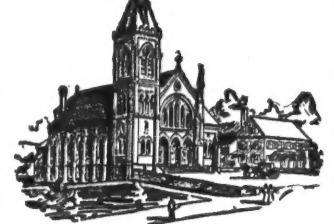
### ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH

Essex Street

Roman Catholic

Organized 1850

Rev. Fr. Riordan, Pastor

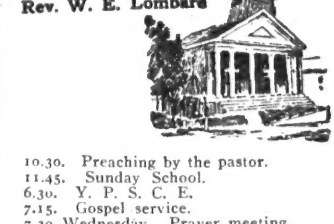


8.30 a.m. Mass and instruction.  
Sunday School to follow.  
10.30. High mass and sermon.  
2.45. Children of Mary Sodality meeting each Sunday.  
3.30. Vespers, rosary and benediction.  
7.45 p.m. Tuesday. Rosary, sermon and benediction.  
7.30 p.m. Thursday. Holy Hour devotion.  
7.45 p.m. Friday. Stations of the Cross and benediction.  
First Sunday of month, Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality.  
Second Sunday of month, Communion day for Knights of Good Counsel.  
Third Sunday of month, Communion day for Holy Name society.  
Fourth Sunday of month, Communion day for Children of Mary.  
Holy Name society meets fourth Monday evening of each month.  
Sacred Heart Sodality meets first Friday evening of each month.  
Knights of Good Counsel meet second Wednesday evening of each month.  
Promoters of Propagation of the Faith, second Thursday evening of each month.  
Altar Boys meet first Monday evening of each month.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Organized 1839

Rev. W. E. Lombard



10.30. Preaching by the pastor.  
11.45. Sunday School.  
6.30. Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.15. Gospel service.  
7.30 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

### WEST CHURCH

West Parish

Congregational

Organized 1826

Rev. Dean A. Walker

Pastor



10.30. Morning worship with sermon by the pastor.  
12.00. Sunday School.  
3.00. Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.45 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

### FREE CHURCH, Congregational

Elm Street

Organized 1846

Rev. Frederic A. Wilson

Pastor



10.30. Worship with sermon by the pastor (Mothers' Day).  
12.00. Sunday School.  
6.30. The Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.30. Praise service. The choir will give the cantata of "The Risen King."  
7.30 Monday. The Young Ladies' Dorcas Circle.  
7.45 Tuesday. The Men's club Ladies' Night and banquet.  
7.30 Wednesday. The midweek devotional and conference service.  
7.15 Thursday. Castle Winchester, K. O. K. A. Mr. Willard will address the castle.

### CHRIST CHURCH

Central Street

Episcopal, Organized 1835

Rev. Frederic Palmer, D.D., Rector



10.30. Morning prayer, with sermon by the rector.  
12.00. Sunday School.  
5.00. Evening prayer, with confirmation lecture.  
3.45 Tuesday. St. Catherine's Guild candidates' class.  
3.45 Tuesday. Boy Scouts.  
3.45 Tuesday. Girls' Friendly society.  
9.30 Thursday. Ascension Day. Holy Communion.

### NORTH PARISH CHURCH

Unitarian

No. Andover Centre

Organized 1645

Rev. Wm. S. Nichols

Minister



10.30 a.m. Morning worship.  
11.45 a.m. Sunday school.  
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## McDOUGALL'S MUSINGS

### Amusements

Since the time long ago when the young shepherd boy, David, played on the harp to drive the devil out of Saul, music has charmed the downcast, and the old songs, music and folklore of infancy come back at four score.

In this little town of Andover we have too much whist-playing and too little music. I have just been reading the account of an oratorio given in a town in Scotland no bigger than Andover—not on a Sunday. On Sunday evenings during the summer what they call the Municipal Brass Band plays more or less discordantly what is termed sacred music. This brass band business was started by a Presbyterian clergyman who was what we would call an antiquated fossil of a Calvinist. The long twilight in Scotland makes the time after all church services are over, hang heavy on the hands of many young people who really don't know what to do. This clergyman, seeing many parties of young fellows sitting under the shade of the trees playing cards, got permission, after some heated debates, to get the town instrumental band to give an hour's concert, and this has been successful in stopping the pocket flask and the card-playing. Our cricket field is an ideal place to have a Sunday evening concert of instrumental music.

All the choirs of all the churches should, during the winter months, give us several musical evenings in the town hall. We must learn to do things for ourselves. We are too much given to running to Lawrence or Boston for everything. In this connection I just mention a circumstance that I came to know about last week. Some smart people who believe in Lawrence bought some drapery goods there and a friend of mine who does not believe in Lawrence bought exactly the same class of goods from a store in Andover just ten per cent cheaper. This note about cheaper goods here than in Lawrence may amuse some people.

Our bowling alleys are a source of a healthy social kind of amusement. I want a bowling green for Andover so that boys from twenty to seventy years of age could in the summer evenings breathe fresh air and enjoy one of the best of outdoor games. In Scotland every town and almost every village has a bowling green. The clergyman, the store-keeper, the blacksmith, the lawyer and the doctor, all kinds and conditions of men, are seen on the bowling green.

In France they have many forms of bowling. The Scotch bowling green is now here and there being intro-

duced in France. It would astonish our bowling alley friends to see the various forms this bowling game takes. Our bowling alley of course they have, but being a versatile nation she has invented half a dozen kinds of bowling and bowls. One of these bowling games I came to like and was welcomed by the Frenchmen as the Ecossais from the country of the beautiful Marie Stuart.

It is somewhat difficult to describe this game, but I will try to do so. It may be just as interesting as some of the political stump speeches of today—or it may turn out to be what the old Scotch cobbler said of metaphysics. When asked by a young prig of a lawyer if he knew what metaphysics was, the cobbler said that metaphysics was when a lawyer made a long speech and did not know what he was saying, and the people hearing him did not know what he was saying, that that was metaphysics. Well this bowling game in France requires a peculiar make of alley, made of concrete. The alley proper is about eight feet wide and sixty feet in length. It is made by digging a trench eighteen inches deep, of the breadth and length I have mentioned. The earth is thrown up and neatly made into a bank or mound all round this rink. The concrete is then carefully laid and a smooth sand surface got for the bowls to slip or roll over. The surface is not left level; it is left high in the center like the back of an elephant. A mark, usually a round piece of brass about the size of a dollar, is permanently inserted in the concrete near to each end of the rink. So much for this concrete bowling alley. Then the bowls used, or to be correct, the rollers, are made of hard wood and are about seven inches in diameter by two and a half inches in thickness. The rim of this roll is left rounded like the rubber wheel of an automobile. When you hurl this roll with force, as long as the momentum lasts it goes straight, but before it stops it takes a zigzag, serpentine motion and then falls flat on the concrete. Your mechanical-minded readers will see at once that the concrete bed being round or higher towards the center and the roll being rounded on the rim, gives this zigzag motion a long time before equilibrium is lost and then the roller falls flat, and as the game means that this roll should be as near the brass mark as possible when it falls, the wandering of the roll here and there gives the game a zest, and the skill required is like playing billiards, not learned in a day.

I fear that I have made metaphysics of this musing. It will be a relief to read the square deal for the people as given in Mr. Roosevelt's orations, no zigzag either in him or his henchmen.

IAN McDOUGALL

## THE REVOLUTION IN CHINA

Former Andover Man Describes the Scenes in Tientsin During Recent Troubles

The interesting descriptions of the recent troubles in China, as given below, were written by a former Andover man, Robert Chandler, nephew of George S. Minor of this town, who is now in Tientsin.

Hsiku, Tientsin, North China  
5 March, 1912

Dear Folks:

I want to get off a letter to you today, catching the Siberian mail for those in America, and tell you a few things about our fracas in Tientsin. My time is limited, and I'll write as much as I can, even if disconnectedly, and then stop and mail. If I forget to sign my name, perhaps you can remember what it looks like.

A week ago, we were celebrating the Republic with many flags, as I told you; and then there were meetings for women, even, to be "progressive" and processions on the streets, in which a good many Chinese women, mostly young ones, took part. It was unusual, certainly, and probably altogether unwise. Today all those gay streets are sacked, looted, burned from one end to the other, and many dwellings as well, all over this great native city. Thank Heaven, the loss of life has been slight, and there was no attack upon schools or churches; also a most evident desire to avoid harming foreign property. It is soldiers who are responsible; underpaid, some say, and threatened with a cut in wages, while we have it from another good authority that they are well paid, but have been instigated by Manchus, disappointed princes. And then there is the large lawless element present in all ranks of society, who have been disappointed of a chance to loot thus far, in the North, and saw peace being established without their obtaining the regular prerogatives of revolutionary times. We must judge this Revolution by those upheavals that have gone before in China; and the present time shines by contrast.

Let me tell you now that I am well and happy, even though Helen is a refugee down town again. We went through enough two nights ago, so that the present peaceful outlook is delightful; though we shall have to keep watch some nights more, and I don't know just when we can ask the Consul to permit the return of the ladies. I am sleepy. But while I bang my machine here in the hall, the paperers are at work in the next room, starting some of our long-scheduled house improvement.

I wish I knew what you all have heard, weeks before this, about the trouble in Peking and here. There is a cable break on or in the Pacific somewhere; and the rate by the At-

lantic is fearfully high, so that we have not been able to send the messages we would like to America. I think Eastman sent some reassuring word to the Board yesterday, however, from down town. We began to get word on Friday about looting in Peking the night before. (It is now Tuesday). It must have been very extensive and destructive. It was one division of Yuan's soldiers who got loose. Some of the missionaries moved to a compound adjoining the Legation quarters, others stayed quiet. Friday night there was looting and burning again, but not so bad, we heard. Since then it has been under control.

We did not know whether those soldiers or others might come in here; of course, Tientsin offers about as many prizes in the way of wealthy shops and residences, as the Capital. But all seemed quiet Saturday, into the evening. The Chinese around here did not show uneasiness. Mr. Ewing had gone into the country for a Sunday tour; only five miles away. This left just our household, the three Eastmans, Miss Wyckoff, Helen and I. We played letters that night, and were just beginning to retire generally, at 9.45. Then shots began to be heard, over in the direction of the Central Station. They might have been firecrackers, in fact, we should expect some at that time, for the next day, Sunday, was the 15th of the first moon, and Feast of Lanterns day—the wind-up of the regular New Year celebrations. But the shots kept up, the Chinese of the Compound got nervous, began to come up to our upper porch to look out; and very soon a big fire blazed out. We thought it might be the big R. R. station itself; but probably it was the Mint that we saw burning. More firing, and fires; four, six, seven in view by eleven o'clock, not coming nearer to us, but swinging around to the thicker part of the native city. The Chinese Christians began to move into our compound, to the school buildings, and many others, women and children came in, those whom we knew at all. Eastman and I got out around the place frequently. The Chinese population in the village were very uneasy. Squads of policemen kept going by toward the fire district. We had one revolver among us, if there had been an attempt to enter this place; and not too many men. About twelve the fires were evidently in the region of Old Clothes' Street, the best Chinese shopping street two miles away—where Helen and I had been at six o'clock. It began to be just an indistinguishable wall of fire and flame. Fortunately there was hardly a breath of air stirring; and fire does not spread easily in Chinese houses; it just guts them. Shooting kept up, and the fires began to appear along our long street which leads here and to the University; this street is crammed with shops of all descriptions, though not many of them are wealthy. Immediately behind our Compound, about "two blocks" away is a pawnshop, a huge affair surrounded by twenty-five foot walls. They have all kinds of valuable goods in the pawnshops; silver,

grain, and especially garments. Evidently this place would be a mark, and so we were told. But about twelve-thirty we heard that the pawnshop had already been entered and pillaged. At one-thirty there seemed to be a slight lull in the shooting, and no fires nearer than half a mile, on the long street. We had been hearing some of the bullets sing, over our Compound. But as we learned later, probably almost all of the firing was sent into the air, intended just to scare people. That first night, apparently, there was almost no attempt to stop the looting.

Well, our three ladies had been up and down—I think Helen dressed three times that night, each time in a different dress—and when we seemed to be letting up a bit, at one-thirty, Helen served cocoa and doughnuts! At two, Eastman and I decided we would divide the watch between us, each taking two hours, while the rest might as well attempt sleep. Little Harriet was doing just the proper thing, sleeping hard right through it all, as is her nightly wont now. Well, sleep did not come easy somehow. And at three the pawnshop behind us was fired. That did make a huge blaze, lighting up our whole Compound. There were already fires on two other sides of us, though the rest were all some distance off. Sparks fell among us. We could see looting going on, figures against the flames, stuff brought over the wall, and carried down the streets. Evidently policemen were taking part in this; though others stayed by, and have claimed great credit for guarding us and the match factory next us. About this time two or three of our boys were hiding themselves in the straw-piles in our yard. Well, I don't know how the time passed, but daylight came and no harm to us. Between six-thirty and nine-thirty some of us had a good sleep.

The pawnshop was not done yet, though you would have thought it was finished. At ten we could see men plainly, at work on one end which had not been approached before; passing garments over the wall, elegant silks of the most gorgeous colors, fine furs, all sorts of garments. The stream poured out into the country; generally there would be a soldier or a policeman with a small bundle and guarding three or four coolies carrying other swag, which he would divide up with them later. About ten-thirty, the pawnshop was ablaze again, and made almost as big a spectacle. It really is not fun to see a city burn, or to view the remains of it afterwards. We held church at about the usual time, while the fire was burning, and had a fine sermon from our new Hsiku preacher—our teacher's brother—on the prayer of Abraham for Sodom and Gomorrah.

During the night, we communicated with the Consul by phone; he told us to stay quiet of course. But at about one the central office was deserted, and shortly after the wires were broken, evidently. Our faithful Mr. Evans of the University did not sleep at all, but got started down town at about eight, and got through. He could not secure a guard of American soldiers for the place, some two hundred were sent up to Peking as needed last week; and we simply have not what we should have in China. But Evans got an escort for the ladies. It was fine to see the dozen U. S. cavalry ride in at our gate, at 2.30, with a carriage for the ladies. A little baggage was soon ready, we know how to act in such circumstances by now; and off they went. Mr. Eastman too with his family. Helen and Miss Wyckoff went to Mrs. Peck's again—the best place in Tientsin next to Hsiku. Evans had also secured some rifles for us here; and that night there were four of us Americans here as also four at the University. The Chinese were very fearful that the second night would be even worse than the first; but not so, all was quiet, and only two or three small fires were started in the city at all. We patrolled all night, or kept watch from the house, in watches. And we have armed some of the Tungchow boys, who are also keeping watches. Yesterday night was as quiet as Sunday; except that the police and watchmen were more frequent. There are various reports, both wild and sober, of the movements of other Chinese troops; expectations that they may attempt to loot the Concessions, etc.

Now about the police on the first night. I think Dr. Chin's statement is likely to be right; she is the one who managed the Red Cross exhibition out here last fall, the charming speaker of perfect English. Her small hospital is right in the heart of the city, but was not harmed. She says the original much-vaunted, Yuan-trained police were not demoralized; while the many extra policemen who have been called in, with a scant training, looted as much as the soldiers. The Viceroy is of no use; apparently he spent his energy in building his own guard to protect him and his Yamen, which they did. The police did nothing Saturday night because they "had no orders." But they got them from "Top Side," i.e., from Yuan on Sunday, and did their work well from that point. Eight hundred arrests were made that day. I don't know how many yesterday. It appears they have absolutely checked the local looting, from then on; we have only outside troops to fear, and perhaps not that. The police carried out executions, too, spreading them about in various parts of the city. It was a shock to me yesterday afternoon to look out of my window—I was just about to seek a nap—and see a crowd and soldiers and police gathered in an open space in front of our Compound, just across the river, and to witness a beheading before I realized what was up. I was glad enough the ladies were not here. Probably about eighty were executed in all, Sunday and Monday; five out here. It is an effective measure for the situation; but what a country! I'll have to stop now, really full of hope.

ROBERT E. CHANDLER



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## ATTRACTIONS AT THE THEATRES

### BOSTON THEATRES

#### New Attractions

Majestic—"The Witching Hour."  
Tremont—"The Spring Maid."  
Castle Sq.—"Seven Days."

#### Continuing Attractions

Boston—"The Fascinating Widow."  
Shubert—"Hanky Panky."  
Plymouth—"Alias Jimmy Valentine."  
Hollis—"The Case of Becky."  
Colonial—"The Siren."

#### Coming Attractions

Colonial—"Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway."  
Castle Sq.—"Nobody's Widow."  
Majestic—"The Commuters."

#### MAJESTIC

The Lindsay Morrison stock company has recently returned to the Majestic and this week are presenting "The Witching Hour." It is the first time it has been given by a stock company and the production will be followed next week by "The Commuters."

#### TREMONT

Two seasons ago Boston set the imprint of its approval on "The Spring Maid," with Christie MacDonald in the title role, for although the entertaining affair remained but two weeks it was evident that it possessed merit that was out of the ordinary. This week at the Tremont "The Spring Maid" returned to Boston and there is no reason to change the verdict originally made.

#### HOLLIS STREET

A powerful impression is being made by Frances Starr and "The Case of Becky," at the Hollis Street theatre. So instantaneous has been the success of "The Case of Becky" that a four weeks' engagement has been arranged for, but no more will be possible, and therefore next week will be the last of this here.

#### PLYMOUTH

"Alias Jimmy Valentine," with H. B. Warner in the title role, which began the second month of its engagement at the Plymouth theatre Monday night, has surpassed in popularity any attraction seen in Boston this season and has easily scored one of the biggest hits in years.

#### COLONIAL

This is the seventh and final week that "The Siren" is to be seen in Boston. Audiences which are going to the Colonial theatre are larger and more demonstrative than any since the engagement began. The musical play in which Donald Brian, a Boston product, is the star, has been a delightful entertainer.

At the Colonial next week, opening May 13, George M. Cohan will present himself and his own company in the great revival of his musical play, "Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway," in which the famous author-actor-playwright-composer and producer will be seen in the role of "Kid" Burns.

Mr. Cohan's Kid Burns comes nearer, it is said, to a stage realization of the genuine Bowery type than has heretofore been visualized. In the author's hands, the peculiar, past-understanding vocabulary of Burns, his slangy philosophy, but really sincere heart, is brought out and individualized as never before, and the revival of the piece has been one of the surprise hits of the season in New York, where Mr. Cohan and his splendid company, which includes Miss Sallie Fisher, have just completed a two months' run of it.

Of almost equal importance as Mr. Cohan's appearance in this revival is that of Miss Sally Fisher, who has created a sensation by her conception of the part of Mary. "Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway" will be seen at the Colonial exactly as it was presented at the Geo. M. Cohan theatre in New York. With a promise like this, amusement-seekers can rest assured that the play will be presented as it never was before, and it is safe to predict that there will be sufficient people take advantage of it to fill the theatre to the capacity point at every performance during his Colonial engagement, which includes Wednesday and Saturday matinees.

#### BOSTON

Everybody is talking about the wonderful success of Julian Eltinge in "The Fascinating Widow" at the Boston theatre. To display Eltinge's artistry to its best effect, "The Fascinating Widow" could not be improved upon as a vehicle. It permits the famous A. H. Woods star

to introduce his delightful specialties, and at the same time demonstrate his cleverness as a straight light comedian of the William Collier type in the early scenes. The supporting cast is remarkably good.

A word must be said of Eltinge's "widow" gowns. They were without doubt the most beautiful products of the modiste's art ever exhibited and well worth going great distance to see. Theatre-goers throughout New England should not forget that the Boston theatre engagement will be Julian Eltinge's final appearance in "The Fascinating Widow" in this section of the country, and out of town patrons should not fail to send in their orders for seats at the earliest possible moment for the approach of summer and the warm weather will end Mr. Eltinge's appearance at the Boston theatre on short notice. The Wednesday and Saturday matinees, with 800 good orchestra seats at one dollar, are specially suited for amusement seekers unable to attend the evening performances.

#### COLONIAL THEATRE

##### LAWRENCE

The fact that George M. Cohan will himself appear as Kid Burns in the revival of his best music play, "Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway," when it is presented at the Colonial theatre Monday evening, May 20, has created more interest in amusement circles than any theatrical announcement that has been made for a long time. Mr. Cohan has been appearing at his own theatre all the past winter and several weeks ago conceived the idea of a revival of this play, which he has always contended is the best piece of stagecraft that his pen has produced, a belief that is shared by many of this gifted young man's admirers. Especial care has been observed in the selection of players to support Mr. Cohan on his brief tour out of New York. The chorus is selected from Mr. Cohan's "The Little Millionaire" company. A brand new scenic setting, built expressly for this revival, and the orchestra from the George M. Cohan theatre in New York City, will form additional features of Mr. Cohan's coming visit.

#### LAWRENCE

Court St. Monica, 78, M. C. O. F., held a May party Monday evening in Needham hall.

Mayflower colony, U. O. P. F., held a whist party in Mayflower hall Monday evening.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to Division I, A. O. H., will hold a whist party and dance on May 16.

A whist party was held Monday evening by St. Anne's society in the parish hall, Haverhill street.

As is the annual custom, the May procession under the auspices of St. Mary's Catholic church will take place on May 19 this year.

The arrangements for Lawrence and Lowell high schools meeting on the diamond and gridiron this spring and fall have been completed.

The pupils of the Holy Rosary Parochial school will give an entertainment in the Lawrence Opera house Sunday evening, May 19.

The 15th annual reception tendered by Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Labonte to their dancing classes was held at Saunders hall Monday evening.

The St. Mary's bazaar, which took place last week under the Augustinian Fathers of St. Mary's parish, was a great success both socially and financially. A total of \$7000 was cleared.

May 5, the first Sunday in the month, was celebrated with a May festival at the Lawrence Street Congregational church. Forty-eight new members were received into the church at the morning service.

The Lawrence high school seniors are preparing for the presentation of their annual play. They have selected "The Rivals," and the piece will be given at the high school hall on May 24.

A lengthy hearing on the bill for the proposed East bridge was held on Tuesday afternoon, before the house committee on counties. A vote taken showed that those present were against the measure.

Farewell services were held at the Salvation Army headquarters on Broadway Sunday night in honor of Adjutant and Mrs. Llewellyn H. Larder, who are leaving their command

## NORTH ANDOVER

The Waverleys and Centipedes play on the Lawrence playstead next Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of 17 Railroad avenue observed the 25th anniversary of their marriage on Saturday evening.

The Johnson high school baseball team went to Methuen Wednesday afternoon to play the high school nine of that town.

A force of men is at work resurfacing Sutton street from the Boston & Maine railroad depot to the Shawsheen bridge.

Saturday morning Miss Florence Wainwright of Second street left for Central Falls, R. I., where she was married to James Breer of that place.

Friday evening Court Lincoln, A. O. F., held a most enjoyable and numerous attended social and smoke talk in Odd Fellows banquet hall.

Grange hall was the scene, Friday evening, of a brilliant social affair the occasion being the observance of Ladies Night by Cochichewick lodge, A. F. and A. M.

The baseball game scheduled to be played last Saturday afternoon between the Johnson high school and the Groveland high school, was cancelled by the latter.

Charles H. Morrill, instructor in sciences at the State Normal school, Hyannis, underwent a surgical operation for appendicitis this week at the Lawrence General hospital.

In a fast and interesting game on the Grogan athletic field Saturday afternoon the Stevens social club baseball team defeated the C. Y. M. A. nine by the score of 13 to 12.

The junior class of the Johnson high school is actively at work completing arrangements for the presentation of "Miss Fearless and Company" in Stevens hall this evening.

At a meeting of the board of public works, held Friday evening, the contract for building a cottage at the pumping station was awarded to Louis H. McAloon. His figures were \$3,083.

All of the hand work in the extermination of brown tail and gypsy moths is finished for the present season, and as soon as the leaves spring forth on the trees, spraying will begin.

Under the auspices of the North Andover Improvement society there will be a lecture in Merrimack hall next Monday evening by Prof. Harold S. Pierce of Clark university, Worcester.

The social assembly, under the auspices of the Young Men's Catholic association baseball team, held in Merrimack hall, Friday evening, proved a conspicuous success in every particular.

Miss Annie A. Grogan, a very well known North Andover young woman, dropped dead Saturday afternoon at her home on Second street. She had been ill but a short time and her death was entirely unexpected.

Saturday evening a very pretty farewell dinner party was tendered at the North Andover Country clubhouse to Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel E. Stevens, who left Tuesday for New York city, from whence they sailed for England.

George Evans of Liverpool, Eng., who was a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Evans of the North Andover Country clubhouse, was aboard the ill-fated steamship, the Titanic, and as no report has been made that his body has been found, it is feared that the young man went to his death.

here. They have been granted a six months' furlough.

To erect a permanent home for the Lawrence Aerie 216, F. O. E., is the intention of its members and land has been purchased on Broadway, near Concord street, for the purpose. The charter of the organization has been thrown open and a determined effort to add 1000 names to the membership rolls, making a total of 2200, is to be made.

The recount of the votes cast last Tuesday at the preferential presidential primaries was held Monday afternoon at the city hall. The recount showed that 174 ballots were counted as blanks owing to the marking of ballots for the eight delegates pledged to William Howard Taft and also for Frank P. Seiberlich, who was also pledged for Taft.

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## METHUEN

The gymnasium classes at the M. V. A. will soon be suspended for the summer months.

A regular meeting of Hope lodge, I. O. O. F., was held last Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Caleb A. Page, principal of the Methuen high school, was called to Maine this week by the death of his brother.

Under the auspices of St. Monica's church of Methuen there was a concert and entertainment in Nevins Memorial hall on Wednesday evening.

A regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Methuen Y. M. C. A. was held on Wednesday evening of this week in the association rooms.

The Woman's American Baptist Home Missionary society will hold its annual basket meeting at the Second Baptist church in Lawrence on Wednesday, May 15.

The anniversary meeting of Phillips circle, King's Daughters, of the Congregational church was held on Monday at the residence of Mrs. H. E. Moore on Stevens street.

A meeting of the Howe street Sunday school was held last Sunday afternoon at the Howe street school. It is planned to start a Sunday school in the Tozier corner district if enough can be interested.

Monday morning in Methuen police court before Judge William M. Rogers, Louis Gagne was fined \$15 on a charge of larceny. It is alleged that he stole a watch and threw the fob into the Spicket river.

Rev. Robert B. Fisher, pastor of the Baptist church, preached a farewell sermon at that church on Sunday. This week he left for Springfield where he is to become pastor of the Carew Street Baptist church.

The Methuen Y. M. C. A. team and a team from the All Saints Episcopal church played a five-inning game last Saturday afternoon on the playstead on Pelham street which ended in a tie, each team having scored four runs.

There was an unusually pretty social gathering at Nevins Memorial hall Saturday evening when "Twelfth Night" was presented by the Amherst College Dramatic association, under the auspices of the Methuen High School Alumni association.

A meeting of the board of fire engineers of this town was held Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock in their quarters in the Central fire station in Railroad square. The department has been kept busy during the past few days as there have been several brush fires in various sections of the town.

Notices are being posted on the poles and property of the Southern New Hampshire Street Railway company announcing a reward of five dollars for information leading to the arrest of any person or persons for injuring the lights or property of said road, particularly in the waiting stations along the line.

## The Boston Ideal Homes Exposition

The second Boston Real Estate and Homes Exposition is being held in Mechanics building, May 9 to 18.

The exhibits consist of bird's-eye views of land suitable for ideal homes, showing landscape characteristics, development, etc.; concrete, asbestos and other fireproof building materials; roofings; latest improved lighting, heating, ventilating and plumbing conveniences; ideal portable summer homes, gardens, camps, children's playhouses, etc.; canvas three-room bungalows, completely furnished; portable greenhouse, fully equipped, to sell for \$250, the price including benches, ventilating rods, heating pipes and boiler, complete; summer furnishings and decorations; rustic and English type of garden furniture, etc.

The attractions consist of a children's theatre, with Don, the world's greatest educated pony, Punch and Judy, the picture play of Cinderella, etc.; an animated picture theatre and lectures on improving the homes and home grounds, ideal suburban development, interior summer decorations, historical colonial homes of New England, etc. Ideal home concerts are provided by George Lincoln Parker, and music is furnished by Edna Frances Simmons' Women's Orchestra. A department of much interest to ladies is the Domestic Science Department, which will show exhibits and instructive talks of labor-saving devices in the home.

The office of the exposition is located at 100 Boylston street, Boston, Mass. The fair opened Thursday evening, May 9, at 7:30, and will be open daily from 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. Admission to the exposition and all attractions is 25 cents.

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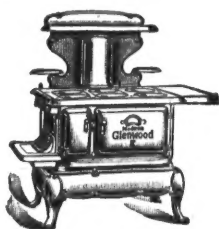
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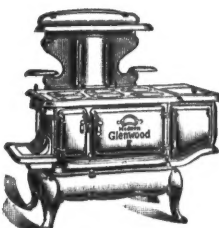
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**UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
Rev. Augustus H. Fuller, Pastor  
Services for next week

10.30 a.m. Worship with sermon by the Rev. Ernest A. Miller.  
Sunday school to follow.  
2.30 p.m. Meeting of Juniors.  
6.30 p.m. Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.30 p.m. Thursday. Prayer meeting.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Rev. Ernest A. Miller, Pastor.  
Services for next week

10.30 a.m. Worship, with sermon by Rev. Augustus H. Fuller.  
Sunday school to follow.  
6.15 p.m. Epworth League.  
7.00 p.m. Praise service, with the second in special series of sermons by the pastor. Topic, "A Good Mother with a Good Daughter." An address appropriate for Mothers' Day.  
7.30 p.m. Thursday. Prayer meeting.

Mrs. William Quinn of Beverly is visiting relatives in the village.

Joseph Dawson of Worcester spent Thursday with friends in the village.

Mrs. Etta Higgins of Cambridge spent Sunday with friends in the village.

Mrs. Martha Shaw spent Saturday and Sunday with her son, J. Edwin Shaw.

J. H. Smith returned Friday from a five weeks' business trip through Maine.

Mrs. George Smith and daughter of Beverly spent Sunday with relatives in the village.

Misses Sadie and Helen Daley were guests at a select party held in Chelsea last Thursday night.

Mrs. Nellie Hinchcliffe has gone to live with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clark Chester.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hendrickson and children spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Shurtland of Arlington Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. John Greenan, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson of Revere, former parishioners of Rev. Ernest A. Miller, were his guests Sunday.

Mrs. William Matthews has returned from a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coupe of Providence, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conway and son of Everett spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Conway.

Mrs. Leon E. Knox of Wollaston has been spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stott.

Mrs. Sarah Shaw and Beatrice Batchelder are spending the week with the former's son, John Shaw of Brockton.

Rev. Augustus H. Fuller will preach at the Methodist church Sunday forenoon in exchange with Rev. Ernest A. Miller, the new pastor of that church.

At the communion service Sunday at the Congregational church the following were made members of the church: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Farrell, Miss Bertha Farrell, and Mrs. Geo. Abbott by letter, and Geo. E. Abbott by profession of faith.

Rev. Ernest A. Miller will preach his second sermon of the series, topic, "A Good Mother and a Good Daughter," next Sunday evening at seven o'clock. The public is very cordially invited to be present. It is a sermon for Mother's Day.

By the will of the late Mrs. Hannah S. Greene which has recently been proved, the Congregational church receives a bequest of \$100 and after some private bequests the same church is made a legatee of one-sixth of the residue of the estate.

wharf for a canoe landing back of his barn. It certainly looks as if canoeing on the Shawheen would be more popular than ever. Mr. Parker is also making a number of improvements at his new store.

The fair and entertainment to be given in Bradlee hall Friday evening, May 10, promises to be a notable success. Ice cream and candy and fancy articles will be on sale. The entertainment will consist of music, recitations, and a play entitled, "The Pink Swan Pattern." The public is very cordially invited to attend.

The Congregational Ladies' Aid society will hold a supper and entertainment in the church next Friday evening, May 17. It will be the last supper of the season. The entertainment will consist of a "swap social." Every person wishing to take part in the same is requested to bring an article valued at least at ten cents.

Rev. J. L. Hoyle, district chief templar, of Haverhill paid his first district visit to Ballardvale lodge last Monday evening. A special program had been prepared. All neighboring Good Templars were requested to be present and give the new district chief templar a welcome. Lodge Deputy Joseph Teale installed the newly elected officers. Visitors were present from Andover, Lawrence, Methuen and Haverhill.

Rev. Ernest A. Miller preached his first sermon in his special series on "The Home" Sunday evening, his topic being "A Good Father with a Good Son." There was a good attendance. The pastor showed conclusively that the heart of the great American people was in the home, and that every true home was founded on the teachings of the Bible. He will preach his second sermon next Sunday evening at seven o'clock. His topic will be "A Good Mother with a Good Daughter."

Ballardvale Lodge, No. 105, held a meeting of exceptional interest Monday evening. Visitors were present from Methuen and Haverhill. Lodge Deputy Joseph C. Teale of Methuen was assisted by Rev. J. E. Hoyle, D. C. T., of Haverhill, as installing marshal, and Mrs. Heninger of Andover as installing deputy marshal. Rev. Augustus H. Fuller in his address of welcome to the new District Chief Templar, Rev. J. L. Hoyle of Haverhill, who was making his first official visit to Ballardvale lodge, paid a glowing tribute to the new officer and predicted a new era of temperance activity in the district. Rev. Mr. Hoyle responded in his characteristic manner in a speech that was brim full of humor and cheer and aroused unusual enthusiasm for the temperance work for which the order stands. Lodge Deputy Teale ably seconded the remarks of the two preceding year in the district. Remarks from speakers and predicted a successful several other members followed.

**Children's Day**

The Bradlee Mothers' club held its annual Children's Day Thursday afternoon in the kindergarten room. About sixty children were present. Refreshments were served and games played and a royal good time was enjoyed by all present. It certainly was a red-letter day for the children.

**Elected Officers**

At the regular annual meeting of the Epworth League held Wednesday evening, the following persons were elected officers for the ensuing term:  
President, Joseph D. Russell; first vice-president, Harold Wells; second, I. W. Stark; third, Mrs. Prudence Brown; fourth, Miss Clara Moody; organist, Harold Wells; superintendent of Junior Epworth League, Miss Clara Moody.

**WILLIAM P. POTTER**

Rear Admiral Who  
Retires This Week

**SANTIAGO VETERAN**

Commander of Fourth Division of the Atlantic Fleet

Washington, May 8.—Rear Ad-William P. Potter, the senior rear admiral on the navy list, who established a brilliant reputation as an executive officer during the Spanish-American war for which he was advanced five numbers by congress, will be placed on the retired list Friday on account of old age.

He was in the battle of Santiago and afterwards commanded the battleship Vermont which participated in the world cruise of the Atlantic fleet. He became a rear admiral in 1908 and was assigned to command the fourth division of the Atlantic fleet.

**COMMITTEE VOTE****FOR R. R. MERGER**

Bill For Consolidation of New Haven and Boston and Maine

Boston, May 9.—The legislative committee on railroads unanimously voted to permit the New Haven and Boston and Maine railroads to consolidate.

The bill which the committee reports to the legislature provides that the consolidated railroads must spend \$80,000,000 in improvements, building two tunnels and electrifying all the New Haven traffic within the Greater Boston district, all within five years.

The bill does not, as reported by the committee, provide for the establishment of the public utilities commission asked for by the governor.

The New Haven shall acquire two-thirds of the stock of the Boston and Maine.

Boston and Maine minority stockholders opposing the lease shall have the value of their shares adjudicated by the railroad commission.

The bill provides for the expenditure of \$80,000,000 by the New Haven at the rate of \$16,000,000 a year.

The electrification of all railroads within the metropolitan district; electrification to be completed within five years.

**ANDROSCOGGIN CLAIMS TWO**

Lewiston Journalist and Bates College Student Drown

Auburn, Me., May 6.—J. Osborne Faulkner, sporting editor of the Lewiston Journal, and William E. Lovell of West Springfield, Mass., a senior at Bates college, were drowned Sunday afternoon when their canoe was capsized while they were making an attempt to shoot the rapids on the Androscoggin river near Keene's Mills, about ten miles from this city.

Young Lovell was one of the most popular men at Bates. He had held many honors and was manager of the 1911 football team. He was an excellent basketball player. Faulkner was a native of Turner. He had been in the employ of the Lewiston Journal eight years and was widely known among the newspaper fraternity of the state.

**1,000 ITALIANS CAPTURED**

Claim Made by Governor of the Island of Rhodes

London, May 9.—The governor of the Turkish island of Rhodes, where Italian troops landed a few days ago, telegraphs:

"We have won a victory and have captured 1,000 Italians," according to a special news dispatch dated May 8 from Pera, Turkey.

**Policing the Border**

Monterey, Cal., May 9.—Company C, Twelfth Infantry, left here for Tia Juana, Cal., on the Mexican border. This company follows company G, which went to Yuma, Ariz., last week.

**To Protect British Subjects**

Victoria, B. C., May 9.—The British warship Albatross left Esquimaut for Mexico, to succor any English subjects in the insurrectionary district.

**A Bowery Experience**

By MARTIN SHARPE

I had always had a fancy to see the Bowery, in New York, and on my first trip to that city took occasion to visit it. I was strolling along it when a man suddenly confronted me, and by his manner I knew that he was a crook.

As to his appearance there was nothing very bad about it. Only small thieves have a rundown, disagreeable look. He beckoned me to follow him and went down into a dive very near where I had met him. I hesitated for a moment; then my caution gave way before what I fancied might be an opportunity to see something of New York crook life, and I joined him at a table in the saloon.

"I didn't know you were out," he said.

The man had evidently mistaken me for some one else. Willing to let him talk, I feigned reticence.

"I've got a job in view and want another man. Are you open?"

I told him that it depended on what the job was and led him on to develop his scheme. A butler to a wealthy family was ready to act with him and had told him that a daughter of the house was about to be married and valuable wedding presents were coming in.

The butler, whose regular duty was to shut up the house nights, was to let the crook in, in order that he might have free access to the gifts. I was wanted to help carry off the swag. I endeavored to get the man to tell me the location of the house, but he was too sharp for me. He agreed to meet me at a designated place on the night he proposed to make the haul and take me with him. I was to keep watch and help carry off the plunder. After settling all details we parted, and I went straight to police headquarters and reported my experience.

I was told that my information would be worthless unless I would consent to go with the man to make the robbery. We would be shadowed and caught red handed. I didn't like the job very well, but they told me that I might expect a liberal reward from the family who were to be robbed, and, since I was not over well supplied with funds, I consented.

I was to call every day at the saloon where I had met the crook for notification of time and place of meeting with him. On the third day the bar-keeper handed me an envelope, in which was a slip of paper advising me to be at a certain corner on the Bowery at a certain hour the same night. My pal would pass me, and I was to follow him, but I was not to recognize or notice him. When he neared the house he was to slow up under a gas-light, which was to tell me that he was within a few doors of the crib. Then I was to draw near so that I could keep him in view. My position was to be at the point he entered, to watch and wait for further orders.

At the appointed hour I was at my post and took pains to stand directly in the light where those who shadowed me could see me. My man did not keep me waiting long and walked straight past without looking at me. I followed him as he had directed, and he led me into a street where there were several of those old fashioned, downtown residences that when built were the finest in the city and some still occupied by the descendants of their Dutch builders. He stopped near one of them, looked at his watch, then went on slowly. It was 2 o'clock in the morning, and the street was deserted. He went up onto a front balcony of a large house, opened a window that had been left unlocked and disappeared in the darkness.

Time was given him by the police to get together considerable property. Then I was relieved by a plain clothes man and went back on to the sidewalk, where I saw men surrounding the house. When my pal had filled a sack he brought it to me and was quietly told to throw up his hands. Then at a signal several men ran in from the street and the capture was made without disturbance.

The burglar, I was told, was very hot against me for giving him away and vowed that if he ever got a chance he would kill me, though he still believed I was the crook he had mistaken me for. The police kindly went through the photographs in the rogues' gallery and found me—that is, my exact counterpart. I was not especially pleased to find that I so nearly resembled a criminal, but was comforted that the picture did not give such an impression. I insisted on the burglar being informed of his mistake lest he should carry out his threat on the wrong party.

It turned out that there were \$5,000 or \$6,000 worth of wedding gifts in the house to be robbed, and the burglar had put more than half of it in the sack he had brought to me. Had he been properly supported he would undoubtedly have got away with all the bride's property. I received a thousand dollar check from her father, a portion of which I spent in seeing New York. The butler was arrested, and on my evidence and incriminating property found on him he was sent up with the burglar.

I was very much pleased with my sight of inside life on the Bowery and went back to my country home perfectly satisfied. However, I agreed with the words of the song about the street that I would "never go there any more."

**PRINTING IN CHINA.**

Often No Presses Are Used, a Pair of Brushes Doing the Work.

The Chinese assert that the art of printing was discovered in China about fifty years before the Christian era. Until the discovery of the art of papermaking, A. D. 95, they printed on silk or cloth cut in the form of leaves. The method employed to this day by many native Chinese printers is as follows:

No printing press is used. The delicate nature of the Chinese paper would not admit of it. When the blocks are engraved, the paper cut and the ink ready one man with his brush will print a large number of sheets in a day.

The block to be printed must be placed perfectly level and secured firmly. The printer has two brushes, one of them stiffer than the other, which he can hold in his hand and use at either end.

He dips it into the ink and rubs the block with it, taking care not to moisten it too much or leave it too dry. If it were wetted too much the characters would be blurred; if too little, they would not print. When once the block is got into the proper condition he can print three or four impressions without dipping his brush into the ink again.

The second brush is used to rub over the paper with a small degree of pressure, that it may take the impression. This it does easily, for, not being sized with alum, it receives the ink the instant it comes in contact with it. It is only necessary that the brush should be passed over every part of the sheet with a greater or smaller degree of pressure and repeated in proportion as the printer finds there is more or less ink upon the block.—Harper's Weekly.

**Dangers in Paint.**

"Turpentine and benzine," says a department of agriculture bulletin, "are very inflammable, and special precautions should be taken not to bring paint containing these substances near any light or open fire. Many pigments are poisonous, and the workman should be particularly careful to remove all paint stains from the skin and not under any circumstances allow any of it to get into his mouth. A man should not eat in the same clothes in which he has been painting and before eating should not only change his clothes, but wash all paint stains from his skin. It is not advisable to use turpentine or benzine in removing paint stains from the hands, but by oiling thoroughly with linseed oil or in fact with any fatty oil and then thoroughly washing with soap the paint may be removed, provided it has not been allowed to dry too thoroughly on the hands."

**Handicapping the Burglar.**

Burglaries in private houses in Vienna are rare, because the doors are locked from 10 o'clock at night to 6 in the morning by order of the police. Admission and exit between those hours are given by the house porter, who receives a fee for unlocking the door and is bound to report to the police the doings and mode of life of all the inhabitants of the house. This system of lock money is tiresome, but in Vienna, as at Naples, where it also exists, it obliges burglars and other criminals to operate during the daylight and diminishes their chances of success. The landlords tried a few years ago the system of giving the key of the house door to tenants, but the majority of the keys have been withdrawn.

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